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Table 20.04-- COMMERCIAL FISHING: 2003 TO 2007

[Fiscal year ending June 30. Represents the total sea catches of all licensed commercial fishers.

Excludes pond catches, The Aquaculture and Development Program, Department of Agriculture, surveys pond harvest market information]

Year	Number of commercial fishermen	Commercial fish catch		
		Pounds landed	Pounds sold	Value to primary producers (dollars)
2003	3,434	24,054,939	(1/)	(1/)
2004	2,971	22,230,489	(1/)	(1/)
2005	3,248	24,876,316	(1/)	(1/)
2006	3,137	2/ 24,636,892	(1/)	(1/)
2007	3,220	24,121,875	(1/)	(1/)

1/ Due to revisions to the commercial fishing report forms in October 2002, licensed commercial fishers no longer report ex-vessel landing values. The latter information is collected from a fish dealer reporting system. The Division of Aquatic Resources is developing an application to integrate the fishing and fish dealer reporting systems to summarize landings with ex-vessel landing value information. Therefore, only total landings reported by commercial fishers are available at this time.

2/ Revised from previous *Data book*.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Aquatic Resources, *Commercial Fish Landings for Fiscal Year* (annual) and records.

Table 20.05-- COMMERCIAL FISH CATCH, BY SPECIES: 2005 TO 2007

[Fiscal year ending June 30, pounds landed, excludes pond catches. Due to revisions to the commercial fishing report forms in 2002, data may not be comparable to previous years]

Species	2005	2006 1/	2007
Total catch	24,876,316	24,636,892	24,121,875
Tunas	14,127,723	14,361,338	13,549,850
Aku (skipjack)	976,053	811,535	1,203,700
Tombo	1,180,458	764,747	591,261
Bigeye (ahi)	8,598,957	9,805,946	9,160,496
Yellowfin (ahi)	3,345,652	2,950,509	2,567,524
Billfishes	4,423,925	3,763,115	4,466,445
Blue marlin	794,487	762,605	846,038
Shortnose spearfish	451,238	347,772	223,446
Striped marlin	984,581	708,898	1,048,471
Swordfish	2,174,633	1,923,964	2,319,023
Miscellaneous pelagic species	4,143,336	4,503,826	3,999,797
Mahimahi	1,439,053	1,544,162	1,129,293
Monchong	653,858	573,664	543,034
Ono	889,423	925,735	786,476
Opah	777,401	1,058,108	1,118,092
Walu	345,851	376,391	396,432
Deep bottom fishes	608,260	503,638	502,946
Ehu	34,804	29,821	24,939
Hapupu	43,285	42,047	29,628
Opakapaka	138,563	92,695	116,796
Uku	158,220	175,757	150,177
Ulaula (onaga)	158,076	99,814	120,416
Akule/opelu	923,669	843,567	999,564
Akule	728,778	462,485	649,017
Opelu	188,284	292,432	341,427
Jacks	63,873	46,285	49,610
Inshore fishes	272,449	248,436	265,082
Sharks	155,749	176,295	213,185
Mako	100,428	137,173	151,650
Lobsters	10,434	10,140	8,828
Crabs	33,018	32,227	31,235
Shrimps	54,379	103,857	(2/)
Seaweeds	16,593	7,521	4,979
Unclassified / miscellaneous	42,908	36,647	30,354

1/ Revised from previous year *Data Book*.

2/ Due to low level of fishermen reporting and to preserve confidentiality, data for these species are pooled under miscellaneous.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Aquatic Resources, *Commercial Fish Landings, State of Hawaii—Fiscal Years 2006-2007* and records.

Table 20.06-- COMMERCIAL SEA LANDINGS, BY ISLAND: 2005 TO 2007

[Fiscal year ending June 30, pounds landed]

Island	2005	2006 1/	2007
State total	24,876,316	24,636,892	24,121,875
Hawaii	3,023,111	3,582,672	3,033,397
Maui	601,311	503,888	509,283
Lanai	22,777	18,412	18,291
Molokai	38,007	28,764	18,000
Oahu	20,610,062	19,928,957	19,894,118
Kauai and Niihau	581,048	574,201	648,786

1/ Revised from previous *Data Book*.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Aquatic Resources, records.

**Table 20.07-- COMMERCIAL SEA LANDINGS, BY FISHING METHOD:
2005 TO 2007**

[Fiscal year ending June 30, pounds landed]

Fishing method	2005	2006 1/	2007
All methods	24,876,316	24,636,892	24,121,875
Aku pole and line	737,156	579,056	968,191
Longline	17,793,249	17,927,928	17,015,914
Handline	1,924,653	1,881,475	1,914,144
Trolling	2,570,436	2,604,873	2,682,806
Net	931,316	827,617	903,030
Trap	98,054	139,588	54,201
All other methods	821,452	676,356	583,589

1/ Revised from previous *Data Book* .

Source: Hawaii State Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Aquatic Resources,
Commercial Fish Landings, State of Hawaii--Fiscal Years 2006-2007 and records.